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Seasonal In-State Featured Products

South Carolina SFM
3483 Charleston Hwy.
West Columbia, SC 29172
803-737-4664
citrus, greens

Greenville SFM
1354 Rutherford Rd.
Greenville, SC 29609
864-244-4023
apples, citrus, dairy products,
sweet potatoes

Pee Dee SFM
2513 W. Lucas St.
Florence, SC 29501
843-665-5154
apples, cabbage,
collards, pecans

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Clemson LPH Offers Tips to Keep Animals Healthy & Safe in Severe Cold Weather



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South Carolina's Emergency Management Division (SCEMD) seeks to minimize loss of life and property damage from hazardous events such as severe weather.

While people are advised to stay indoors during extremely cold weather, animals may not have that option. Animals that live outdoors are able to adapt to cold better than people, but they still need extra care when the temperatures drop drastically.

The following information was provided by the veterinary staff at Clemson Livestock Poultry Health to help you keep your animals safe and healthy this winter.

Livestock

- Livestock (cattle, goats, pigs, sheep) are generally able to acclimate to the colder temperatures that we face in South Carolina. They will often stay together for warmth or seek natural windbreaks such as stands of trees.

- Manmade windbreaks can be placed in open fields if needed.
- Most importantly, check water sources daily to break up surface ice.
- Ensure that animals have access to feed. Provide good quality hay daily if grass is snow-covered. In prolonged cold weather snaps they may need additional food to help them maintain body temperature.

- All young livestock may need supplemental feed in winter months.

Horses

- Most horses can live outside in a cold winter without problems. Senior horses with issues associated with older age, such as arthritis, dental problems, weight loss and endocrine disease may be more sensitive and need extra attention. The following are recommendations:

- Provide adequate shelter, whether by natural windbreaks or manmade structures. This is especially important to protect horses from moisture and wind that may accompany cold temperatures.

- Ensure adequate and quality feed. Horses usually need extra calories in cold weather.

- Provide a constant supply of high quality, dry, fresh hay.

- Supplement the diet of geriatric horses, especially those with dental disease, with highly digestible senior diets or mashes.

- Ensure that water is available at all times. Several effective methods are available that can be used to keep ice from forming in water troughs.

- If blankets are used they MUST be checked frequently. Horses can become tangled in blankets that have slipped and they can also develop skin problems when moisture accumulates under blankets.

Back Yard Poultry

- Provide a coop or house so birds can seek shelter. Temperatures slightly above freezing will keep chickens comfortable. Ensure adequate airflow to prevent humidity or ammonia build up. Place deep bedding and roosts in the coop. Beware of fire danger if using a heat lamp.

- Place roosts or logs in the yard to keep the birds up and out of the mud and ice.

- Petroleum jelly can be applied as needed to large combs and wattles to prevent frostbite.

- Electrical heated buckets or water base warmers can be used to keep water from freezing.

- Feed good quality feed specific for your poultry type. In cold months you can supplement with scratch feed.

- Artificial lighting can be used to continue egg laying during the winter months.

- For more details: www.clemson.edu/LPH/AHP/poultry_management.html.

Pets

- Healthy pets accustomed to being outdoors can acclimate to gradually increasing colder temperatures, but no pet should be left outdoors for prolonged periods in severely cold weather. Provide some options for them to stay warm, especially when temperature or wind chill produce temps in the teens or below.

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Hugh E. Weathers
Commissioner

Budget Priorities

Like any household or successful business, we prioritize the use of our funds in the Department of Agriculture. To plan ahead, we estimate the cost of doing business and make a budget for the future. With the General Assembly preparing to reconvene, we have been busy compiling our budget priorities for the next fiscal year starting July 1 for funds that will be utilized to serve every South Carolinian and promote the agricultural industry.

This is an important task each year, as these appropriations will allow the department to improve its services to producers and consumers. Certain expenses are recurring, since we continually strive to make each mission of the Department more productive and innovative than the year before.

One request is for additional funds to expand marketing efforts of the Certified South Carolina Grown program. Already showing huge results in state, this incredibly successful program has the potential to dramatically increase the sale of South Carolina products in other regions as well. It is a great partnership, as the farmers and agribusiness people who use the program invest their money as well to use the brand.

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UKC REG REDBONES, B-10/26, 1st shots, worming, \$250. Rowdy Culclasure; Calhoun; 803-837-0176
GERM SHEPS, B-11/19/14, AKC reg, shots, dewormed, \$550. Paul Langston; Pickens; 864-483-0137

Farm Equipment

Ads may not be submitted by commercial dealers. Each ad submission must include the following signed statement: "This farm equipment and/or farm truck was used on my farm or I am not a commercial dealer." All Farm truck ads must include a current farm vehicle license plate number.

50 JD, 3ph, Roll-A-Mac frt end ldr, \$2000. Dudley Adams; Union; 864-427-3833
KENNCO PRESS PAN, for plastic mulch layer, fits 60in plastic, new, \$1400obo. George Hutson; Barnwell; 803-671-0044
2R & 4R JD 7100, 4R 7000 Planter, finger p-up, \$2150 & \$2800obo. Ray Ward; Clarendon; 803-473-3355
NH 1034 STACK WAGON, \$4250obo; JD 336 sq baler, \$2800obo; NH 451 sickle bar hay cutter, \$1600obo; all good working cond. James Noland; Chester; 803-209-1990
BEE TRL, 4h, SL, LQ, frig, microwave, 21in new awning & tires, \$8500. Tari Federer; Florence; 843-992-2178
AG CRANE, 2ton fork cap, 900lb lift cap, 3ph, EC, \$1875. Joe Gallagher; Allendale; 803-686-0694
CAT 933, track ldr-dozer, 8ton, \$4500obo. H Austin; Orangeburg; 803-308-1203
JD 5310, new turf tires, dual remotes, \$6500; Brillion seeder SC 208, elec shut off, acre meter, in shed, \$10,000. Bill Kaufmann; Horry; 843-756-7341
CASE IH 900, 3ph, 8rW, rm, insecticide hoppers, dp springs, monitor, \$6500; 14ft bush hog mower, semi mount, GC, \$4000. Jeff Millen; Chester; 803-209-0893
CASE IH TINE HARROW, 28ft, 3bar, GC, \$1500; silage blower, GC, \$300. Jason Millen; Chester; 803-209-5065
COVINGTON 1R PLANTER, model TP 46, w/fert hopper, cult & plates, VGC, good paint, under shed, little use, \$700. Johnny Wilson; Newberry; 803-924-0550
JD 3130 TRACTOR, 92hp, clean, 4000hrs, shed kept, GC, \$7400. Mark Sweatman; Greenville; 864-431-1905

JD 654 ROW CROP HEAD, \$2500; 125bu tender box, w/Wisconsin motor & auger on whls, \$650; more. Carl Chassereau; Hampton; 803-942-1961
6R MONESEM PLANTER, liq fert, down pressure springs, corn, bean, cotton & peanut plates, \$14,000; more. Pinckney Thompson; Orangeburg; 803-682-4902
STOLL 18FT GN CATTLE TRL, cut gate & escape gate, 5 new tires, GC, \$4500obo; 25 cow panels, \$50ea; more. Ronnie Barton; Edgefield; 803-645-1774
6R HARRELL STALK CHOPPER, used on less than 1200A of cotton stalks. LN, \$11,000. Delbert Inabinet; Calhoun; 803-539-3631
DISC HARROW, 10ft, 32 disc hdr/cyl, GC, \$1700. Will Tuten; Colleton; 843-908-3474
285 MF TRACTOR, w/9ft chisel plow, \$6500; 154 Int tractor, w/48in belly mower, disc harrow, turn plow, more, \$2500; more. Ronnie Amick; Newberry; 803-364-3775
JD DSL 4100. 4WD, w/frt end ldr, belly mower, wt bucket, 4ft bush hog, \$12,500. Gary Wright; York; 803-684-3834
FORD SCOOP PAN, 3ph, category I, reversible, VGC, \$150. Ansel Kellett; Greenville; 864-607-7444
CLAAS 280 ROTO CUT BALER, \$8500; Case IH 8435 silage baler, \$6500; bale hay very good, 4x5 bales, twine tie; more. Ben Snipes; Lancaster; 803-289-7821
6FT ROTARY MOWER, King Cutter, \$400. Furman Mauldin; Greenwood; 864-980-0440
COLE PLANTER, for Cub or 140, EC, \$825; Cole 3pt 1rw planter, EC, \$825; 1r middle buster, new, \$175. George Schwab; York; 803-493-8021
12FT TRL, dove tail, ramps, tool box on tongue, removable 2ft metal frt/sides stds, more, \$1500; more. Jim Hammett; Spartanburg; 864-357-1859
57FT HUTCHINSON GRAIN AUGER, 8in dia, PTO, LN, used 2 seasons, \$4700. Kirk Dunlap; Darlington; 843-309-0963
IH 1020, 15ft header auger, LN, \$850; Woods #59 belly mower, 5ft cut, EC, fits FA Super A-140FA, \$750. Charles Nichols; Saluda; 864-445-8350
HESSTON 530 BALER, GC, baled 100+ this yr, shed kept, \$3750, w/manual. Curtis Sigmon; York; 803-684-2965
4600 INT, 7.3 eng, 19K mis, 16ft bed w/rear & side door, Thermo King unit w/elec standby unit, 2y/o, \$24,500. John Sweatman; Greenville; 864-905-0274

'03 FORD F350, 4x4, 6.0dsl, super cab, single rear whls, Reading service bed, auto, ac, 171,000 mis, \$10,500. Hank Hughes; Orangeburg; 803-682-2667
8 WHL CENTER HAY RAKE, Italian made, 3ph, some rust, GC, works well, spokes & tines intact, more, \$1000. Will Griffen; Charleston; 888-812-5467
JD BACKHOE BUCKET, 3ft, \$350obo. Ed Sweatman; Orangeburg; 803-536-0169
D-15 AC, EC, gas, tricycle frt end, \$3200. Mark Yonce; Spartanburg; 864-473-0253
KUBOTA 1750, hydrostat, 2wd, 60in belly mower w/16ft dual axle trl & 4ft tiller, \$8800obo. Jonathan Langston; Pickens; 864-918-0231
FORD 2N TRACTOR, not running, \$800. Collin Cleer; Laurens; 864-684-3808
SCRAPE BLADE, 8ft, adjustable, \$375; 6ft box blade, \$300, both 3ph, NC. Willie Linder; Bamberg; 803-206-6317
3PH FOR C FA, Super C or 200, \$550; 7ft 3ph scrape blade, \$350. Robert Yonce; Aiken; 803-685-7240
JD T14 SQ HAY BAILER, shed kept, PTO drive, \$800. Shannon Moses; Newberry; 803-364-4194
COVINGTON 1R PLANTER, mounted on cultivator w/fert hopper, model TP 46, VGC, w/all planting plates, \$700obo. Johnny Wilson; Newberry; 803-924-0550
'04 JD 5205, EC, 50hp, 512 ldr, 6ft quick release bucket, 2wd, 604hrs, 1 remote, sync reverse, more, \$17,750; more. Larry Hayes; Lancaster; 803-283-8307
MANURE WAGON, Akey Brand, model M90P, PTO, single axle, 3ftWx9ftLx2ftD, new tires, GC, \$1500. Steve Watkins; Abbeville; 864-369-1695
'52 FA SUPER C, new rear tires, runs good, \$2800. Eddie Pack; Spartanburg; 864-316-9912
FORD 800 TRACTOR, late 50 - early 60's model, w/bush hog, garden hares & disc plow, \$4000obo. Brad Haynes; Anderson; 864-940-3183
'75 HUBER F-1700, motor grader, runs good, w/Detroit dsl 6V-53 eng, mechanically sound, 13ft 10in blade, \$6550obo. Judson Decell; Lexington; 803-731-1234
DEARBORN 2 DISC PLOW, 2 units, 1 good, 1 for parts, both \$300; Bush Hog 3 shank parabolic subsoiler, more, \$1000. Colie Johnson; Anderson; 864-918-1762
WOOD CHIPPER, Valby CH 231, GC, 3ph, PTO, will chip 8in limbs, more, \$7500; CTR 314 delimber, more, \$7000. John Forrester; Greenville; 864-238-9456

FAE SOIL STABILIZER, 171hrs, EC, \$90,000; 9ft stacking rake, JCB coupler, \$2000. Mark Rutland; Saluda; 803-645-6363
8345R JD 2010 TRACTOR, 4450hrs, EC, \$175,000; Savannah plow, w/ripper, \$6500. Guy Rutland; Saluda; 803-645-8230
'11 JD 5095M, 4WD, 700hrs, LN, w/new 553 ldr, nvr used, \$45k. William McClellan; Anderson; 864-847-7900
AC PLANTER, 8r notill, \$3000; Forrest City 4r subsoiler planter w/out planters, \$2000. Jeffrey Gilmore; Chesterfield; 843-517-0315
JD 7330 4WD PREM, 3100hrs, \$72,500; JD 8300 drill \$3500; Case IH 3950 25ft disc, \$17,500; JD 6500 Sprayer 60ft boom, \$27,500. Gene Roe; Aiken; 803-645-2234
SKID LDR ATTACHMENTS, pallet fork, buckets, grapple fork, log splitter, trencher, tree puller, more, \$475-3900. B Zsigmond; Spartanburg; 864-680-8747
'01 FORD F-250, Super Dty Xlt 7.3 Turbo, \$8750, Cat bucket, \$600; HD equip forks, \$1800. Ron Murphy; Fairfield; 803-337-2580
'07 FARM TRAC 535 TRACTOR, 2wd, 35hp dsl, 400hrs, runs good, \$7500obo. Billy King; Berkeley; 843-693-8829
MH 33 RC, \$4200, '48 MH 22 RC, \$3200; both run, repainted, straight sheet metal, no 3ph. Jeff Jackson; Pickens; 864-704-3466
'11 BEE H TRL, insulated, paneled, ac camp area, awning, elec/hyd jack, made to haul 2 horses & wagon, \$21,500. Cecil Hooks; Marion; 843-430-4906
STOCK TRL, 20ft, GN, lights, brakes, good floor, cut gate, minor rust, \$2000. R Novak; Greenville; 864-905-2168
'00 NH 555E BACKHOE, 2wd, \$16,000; IH 1466 tractor, 2 post & duals, \$10,000; IH 500 disc harrow, \$3000; more. Glynn Webster; Clarendon; 803-468-7403
HAY KING-C-6 RENOVATOR, \$1250obo. David Martin; Laurens; 864-682-3395
KUHN SR108, 8 wheel speed rake, hyd fold up, LN, \$4500. Brian Henry; Anderson; 864-617-6436
SEEDLING PLANTER, 2 seat, 3ph PB, tree seedling planter, wooden tray for seedlings, \$500. Larry Brede; Aiken; 803-439-2130
1R HOLLAND TRANS-PLANTER, complete, EC, \$850. James Pruitt; Spartanburg; 864-316-0004

'67 JD 5020 TRACTOR, needs restoring, good metal & tires, \$3900. Sammy Derrick; Lexington; 803-582-8972
5FT BUSH HOG, GC, \$400neg. David Nettles; Orangeburg; 803-531-3042
JD 4520, 53hp, ldr, 4x4, 315hrs, \$26,700; JD 4320, ldr, 48hp, 4x4, \$24,200; Kubota L3940, LN, 40hp, \$19,900; more. Jamie George; Dillon; 843-616-1891
SUPER 77 OLIVER, gas, runs good, '77 parts tractor, \$2400both; AC D17, dsl, PS, 15.5-38 tires, single frt whl, \$4750. Brent Bailes; York; 704-842-1462
EQUIP TRL, 16ft tag-along, dual axles, \$800; GN livestock trl, divider gate, hay storage, elec brakes, EC, \$1400. Jimmy Wells; Andersom; 864-947-5851
CAT BACKHOE BUCKET, 16in, \$400. Trent Porth; Lexington; 803-413-8065
JD 7000 PLANTER PARTS, 3 fert boxes w/augers, \$600; 6r units w/finger p/u meters, \$450ea; fert trans, \$150; more. Billy Ward; Clarendon; 803-460-7398
UNVERFERTH 6R, 30 strip till rig, \$12,500; JD 7200 6r planter, liq fert, \$10,000; CIH 6r corn head, \$7000; more. Wingard Copeland; Bamberg; 803-259-6894
300GAL PASTURE SPRAYER, pull type, w/40ft boom, less nozzles, \$2800, AG spray poultry house cleaner, used Kyle Bowers; Kershaw; 803-288-4191
JD FB-B GRAIN DRILL, 10ftW, dbl disc, ready to use, \$1800; spin spreader, LN, 700# cap, \$350. Larry Satcher; Edgefield; 803-275-2137
'00 MF 271 TRACTOR, w/ps & rear hyd, new frt tires & seat, 1500+ hrs, runs & works well, more, \$9500, more. M Wilson; Spartanburg; 864-595-1136
MF 3690, duals, new tires, 230hrs on new motor, exc shape, \$24,000. Jimmy Forrest; Saluda; 803-685-7735
JD 444 CORN HEAD, set at 38in rows, GC, \$2700. Bob Lawson; Spartanburg; 864-809-5354
'03 KOMATSU MINI EXCAVATOR, PC45MRX, 2515hrs, steel tracks, 22in bucket, 11k lbs, \$14,500. Todd Benton; Dorchester; 843-832-3065
STOLL FLATBED TRL, 8ton, 25ft, 20ft flat deck, 5ft ramp w/pop-up, extends to 25ft, 5 adj tie downs, EC, \$8000. Steve Jordan; Edgefield; 803-518-0677
480 F CASE LDR TRACTOR, 4n1 bucket, cab, GC, \$7500 or trade; Barko 160B ldr, more, \$8500 or trade. Don Bowman; Anderson; 864-647-7253

Farm Labor

SKID LDR WORK, 40yrs fencing exper, all types of farm, ranch fencing, feed lots & catch pens. Charles Mullinax; Anderson; 864-958-0721

FENCE CONSTRUCTION, in the upstate, barbed & woven wire are specialty, also do board fence & PVC. Mike Gingerich; Abbeville; 864-328-7025

BERMUDA GRASS SPRIGS, planted w/8ft Bermuda King grass planters, w/3000lb roller, Coastal, Tifton 85 & Russell, more. Joe Gallagher; Abbeville; 803-686-0694

ANTIQUE TRACTOR, parts & repair. Jonathan White; Florence; 843-373-3712

TRACTOR REPAIR, restoration, all types, 50yr exp. George Bush; Lexington; 803-640-1949

T R A N S P O R T HORSES/CATTLE, in/out of state; horse boarding, 62A trls, barn, fed daily, \$300ea/mo; fence built/reprd, more. Ed Lowther; Jasper; 843-726-8373

GAITED RIDING LESSONS, on Paso Finos, call to schedule. Beth Gaston; Chester; 803-374-6255

TRACTOR RESTORATION, paint, pressure wash, mechanic & radiator work on any tractor or hvy equip; welding, more. Billy Gallman; Newberry; 803-276-7171

MAINTENANCE, on farm machines, commercial & personal vehicles, pm's to complete overhaul. Charles White; Lancaster; 803-320-4774

BUSH HOGGING, mulching, spreading-gravel, dirt, etc, various other light tractor work, call free estimates. Cary Cox; Greenville; 864-918-1691

HAULING SERVICE, chicken litter, turkey litter, mulch, grain; poultry turkey house clean outs, call for pricing. Michael Wise; Newberry; 803-271-4215

LAND CLEANING, brush hogging of under story, trees, overgrown pasture & cropland, more, call for pricing; more. Nolan Stewart; Laurens; 864-419-1130

SAWMILLING, will custom saw logs, at your place w/WoodMizer portable sawmill. Art Limehouse; Anderson; 706-599-3979

ANY KIND OF CUSTOM CATTLE WORK, catching, penning, hauling, more. Josh Brown; Saluda; 864-910-5378

FENCES BUILT, or repaired, all kinds, reasonable prices. Jimmie Koon; Saluda; 864-445-7658

RESIDENTIAL/AGRICULTURAL FENCE, barb wire, field fence, wood & vinyl horse fence, chain link & privacy. James Strock; Orangeburg; 803-308-1195

TRACTOR REPAIR, service, restorations, paint, parts for JD, MF, Ford, IH FA, eng rebuilds, cab Interiors installed. David Moss; Spartanburg; 864-680-4004

PASTURE MGMT SERVICES, spray weeds, treat fire ants in livestock pastures, licensed applicator, more. Kenny Mullis; Richland; 803-331-6612

WANT SOMEONE, to lime 11A open pasture, w/good quality lime, reasonable price, Campoello area. J Beaudry; Spartanburg; 864-473-1320

FENCES BUILT, to your specs, statewide, free est. Bruce Thomas; Dorchester; 843-563-4373

HAULING, gravel, sand, etc. Morris Johnson; Newberry; 864-923-1670

LAND CLEARING, grading, build ponds, food plots, rds, septic tanks, wildlife mgmt. Matthew Johnson; Newberry; 864-923-5455

STATEWIDE FENCER, specializing in NZ Hi Tensil elec, hog wire, barb, etc, hyd post driver, 25yrs exp. Richard Crow; Abbeville; 864-554-1107

BARNs, garages, stick built, post & beam, pole barns, horse stalls, milking parlors, riding arenas, more, statewide. Abe Mills; Spartanburg; 864-214-5845

CB PLANTING, your sprigs or mine, lrg or sm jobs, call for price, Timmy Benton; Colleton; 843-908-3222

EXREME BUSH HOGGING, skid steer on tracks, cuts hvy brush & trees up to 6in dia, slopes, shooting lanes, more, refs avail. Pat Blue; York; 803-242-0095

LIME SPREADING, specialize in Bulk Tennessee lime, call for quotes. Drake Kinley; Anderson; 864-353-9628

TRACKHOE WORK, w/hvy brush cutter, trim back brush on field edges, cut ditches, ponds built, more, statewide. Stephen McMasters; Saluda; 864-923-1230

FENCING, all types, 23yrs exp. Danny Hershberger; Greenville; 706-201-5745

CATTLE SERVICES, catch, pen, freeze branding & hauling, find & catch wild cattle, mobile hvy catch pens, more. Brian Gibert; Greenwood; 864-980-6408

CUSTOM SPREAD SERVICES, lime & fert, TN Valley lime del & spread, lrg/sm acreage, more, call for est. Joshua Waters; Lexington; 803-429-6114

TRACTOR & EQUIP REPAIR, reasonable rates, guaranteed work clutches, hyd problems, engine overhauls. Randy Stachewicz; Colleton; 843-538-7411

DOZIER & TRACKHOE WORK, build & repair ponds, demolition, tree removal, grade & clear land, repair rds, free est. J Hughes; Greenwood; 864-227-8257

BEAVER & COYOTE REMOVAL, by trapping, \$25/animal, East Greenville & Laurens Co. Paul Miller; Laurens; 864-862-6759

HORSE BOARDING, for 3 horses, fenced, barn, water, elec, secure, good price. Andy Bates; Richland; 803-429-3911

FARM TRACTOR & EQUIP WORK, on all models, come to you or sale parts, 25 years exp. Jack Shelton; Richland; 803-736-9820

LAND CLEARING, food plots, fire breaks, pond repairs, all types tractor work, stump grinding, demolition. Mike Sabbagha; Lexington; 803-730-5172

WANT EXPERIENCED CREW, to operate chain saws and clean fallen timber from 300A farm. John Foster; Richland; 803-261-4900

STABLE FOR LEASE, 44 stalls, 2 tack rms, 2 feed rms, short or long term, \$1200/mo; \$10,000/yr. Jimmy Forrest; Edgefield; 803-685-7735

CUSTOM PLANT, Bermuda Sprigs on your land w/Bermuda King row planter, statewide, Tifton 44 & 85 avail. Johnnie Burkett; Aiken; 803-924-5736

CRACK, shell pecans, 50¢/lb or on halves. Wade ten Bensel; Lancaster; 803-283-4631

HORSE BOARDING, top quality care, hay & feed, stalls, good pasture, work ring, wash rack w/hot water, more. \$350/mo. Johnny Hewitt; Lee; 803-486-0224

LEXCO TACK CLEANING, leather bridles, saddles, harness, cleaning only, no repairs, quantity disc, your place or mine. Laurie Knapp; Lexington; 803-317-7613

BARNs, hay or custom, built to your needs, equip sheds, animal shelters, working pens, all pasture type fences, more. Chad Malone; York; 803-230-3827

POND WORK, lime, fert, pond mgmt. David Burnside; Richland; 803-776-4923

Farm Land

Ads for each tract must be 5 acres or more, stating that it is under cultivation, timber or pasture, including a written statement stating "This Acreage/Land is my personal property." Ads from real estate agents are not accepted, unless property is personally owned.

81.2A, Laurens, wooded, water & sewer, exc deer hunting; \$4K/A obo, more. John Morgan; Edgefield; 803-279-6744

152A, timber, near Ware Place, E of Hwy 25, 3750ft Woodville Rd, acre lake, \$8000/A. Louis Batson; Greenville; 864-630-4310

WANT HUNT LEASE, for deer & turkey w/n 40 mins of Lex, will help to improve, maintain land & carry liability policy. Rob Koon; Lexington; 803-960-2551

152A, farm land, Spann Rd across from Good Hope Luthren Church off Hwy 39, \$2700/A. Marvin Anderson; Saluda; 864-451-3256

WANT TO LEASE FARM LAND, for growing crops no till & low till, will improve soil quality in process, prefer Oconee. Ellis Johnson; Oconee; 864-647-5194

WANT PASTURE, 50A or more, to rent in Abbeville/Anderson Co. Don Bowman; Anderson; 864-647-7253

12A FOR LEASE, hay land, Hwy 19S. Susan Giddings; Aiken; 803-648-6606

WANT TO LEASE PASTURE, for cattle, Abbeville or Anderson Co, will improve quality of pasture-soil health, more. Carroll Moore; Abbeville; 864-933-2306

WANT LAND TO LEASE, to manage for whitetail, QDMA Deer Stewart 2, will work w/owner to improve land & timber. Ray Sealey; Clarendon; 843-409-1717

40A, farm land, near Shiloh for lease, planted in beans last year, \$30/A; 150A, swamp tract Sumter Co, more, \$22,000. Buddy Gullodge; Sumter; 803-530-8885

WANT TO LEASE, sm-med tract of land, for hunting in Aiken Co, prefer close to Monetta, willing to pay top price. Richard Faver; Aiken; 561-644-2711

WANT LAND TO LEASE, for Archery hunting, in Richland, Calhoun, Sumter, or Clarendon Counties. Dwayne Hardee; Sumter; 803-469-9787

54.68A, 8-10y/o planted pine, hdwd, creek, food plots, deer feeder, rd system, wildlife, \$2400/A. Steve Cooper; Saluda; 864-809-0369

WANT PASTURE TO LEASE, for cattle, 20A & up, fencing & maintenance not a problem, refs avail. Keith Hawkins; York; 803-230-1598

134A, near Hwy 252, frtage on 3 rds, some pasture, 2 streams & Turkey Creek, s & w avail, \$2495/A. Susan Cork; Abbeville; 803-216-4458

280A, lrg hdwds, creek, can subdivide, PW, \$2800/A; 143A, Cross Hill, pine & hdwd, creek, \$2600/A. Andy Parnell, Laurens, 864-360-1370

20-50/A, farm land, fenced pastures, woods, stream. \$7500/A. Philip Wigger; Abbeville; 864-369-7375

126.6A, just off I-20 exit 22, ½ planted in improved loblolly pines, A pond, water frontage to reservoir, \$5500/A. Carl Craig; Aiken; 803-507-8185

20+A, ½ established pasture, ½ harvestable pines, 1853sf 3bd/2ba house, \$176,900. Robin OSheal; Greenwood; 864-638-6194

17+/-A, Woodruff, fronts I-26, wooded w/good hunting, access to Hwy 146 & 50, elec/PW avail, \$150,000, fin offered. M Wilson; Spartanburg; 864-595-1136

WANT LAND TO LEASE, for 2015 hunting season, looking for multiple tracts in Central area, w/ponds and/or swamps. Nick Waters; Lexington; 803-518-2787

Fresh Produce

PECANS, in-shell, \$3.50/lb. Linda Smith; Lexington; 803-622-8581

ORGANIC FROZEN BLUEBERRIES, \$6/qt; \$20/gal; fresh brn eggs, \$2.50/dz; \$6/flat. Donna Blake; Calhoun; 803-917-2694

JERUSALEM ARTICHOKEs, \$2 lb. Glenn McAlhany; Orangeburg; 803-274-8974

'13-14 PECAN PIECES, 1lb bags, good, \$8/lb bag. Albert Bennett; Orangeburg; 803-534-8928

JERUSALEM ARTICHOKEs, 12lb box ship, \$48, you p-up, \$36. Lyman Fogle; Orangeburg; 803-247-2098

IN-SHELL PECANS, \$2/lb; pecan halves, \$8.50/lb, Wade ten Bensel; Lancaster; 803-283-4631

JERUSALEM ARTICHOKEs, \$50 bushel. Mike Edwards; Orangeburg; 803-664-0249

Garden Plants

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RABBITEYE BLUEBERRY PLANTS, \$2ea; 15 min ship + \$8.50 postage; strawberries, \$16/100, blackberries, \$2.50ea. Billy Eddins; Chesterfield; 843-623-2427

MULTIPLE ONION SETS, grows in a cluster of onion sets on top, for next yrs planting, \$10/lb plus ship. Billy Gallman; Newberry; 803-276-7171

POMEGRANTES, turkey fig, lemon fig trees, \$10. Cornelius Clark; Berkeley; 843-761-2343

BLUEBERRY PLANTS, Thornless Blackberry, Muscadine, Cherry Hedge & plum trees, all in pots, \$5ea. Hazel Bridges; Greenville; 864-879-3384

Goats, Llamas & Sheep

NUBIANS, 1M, 1y/o, \$150; 1F, 2y/o, pet quality, \$200. Aaron Shirey; Lexington; 803-413-2974

2 MINI-PYGMY GOATS, 1 M breeder, 1 weathered M, both tamed, \$125ea. Jim Atkinson; Pickens; 864-506-9023

S AFRICAN BOER BUCK, reg, DNA tested, 8 enobled goats in last 3 generations, \$1200. James Scott Nickles; Oconee; 864-642-5537

'13 SHEEP, North American Babydoll South-down, reg ram, blk, Genotype-QR, UTD shots & scrapie, \$400. Suzy Chappell; Anderson; 864-356-3386

KATADIN SHEEP, 1 ewe w/2 babies, \$475; 1 ewe w/1 baby, \$375; 1 pre-gnant ewe, \$350. John Bouchillon; Barnwell; 803-266-3428

NIGERIAN DWARF GOATS, yng bucks, weaned, some moon spotted, blue eyes, \$200up; yng does, \$300up; all reg. Mark Yonce; Spartanburg; 864-473-0253

ALPACA HERD, 4 breeding F, 3M, 1 Suri geld, \$1400 all; indiv, \$200up. Dawn O'Cain; Richland; 803-379-7286

BOER BILLIES, \$150-400. J ohhny Hickey; Chesterfield; 843-537-7535

ALPACAS, solid wht, M/\$250; F/\$300 or both for \$500; lrg brn/wht Llama, \$300. Jimmy Wells; Anderson; 864-947-5851

ST CROIX SHEEP, ram lambs, ewe lambs & ewes, \$150up. Dominick Russo; York; 704-763-7677

BABYDOLL, 11m/o F, blk. \$250. Andrea Hensley; Edgefield; 803-202-4500

FB BOER BUCKS, 3m/o, \$350; 1 trad, 1 paint, \$300; 2F, \$250-300ea, 3-7m/o, sire has Box CarWillie genetics. Kathy Anson; Lexington; 803-582-8272

ALPACAS, variety of ages & colors, for breeding, fiber, pets, \$300up. Karen Kopp; Spartanburg; 864-680-9845

REG WHT DORPER EWES, bred, \$400ea; bred 50% white dorper ewes, \$250ea; bred Kat ewes, \$200ea. Rodger Holcombe; Pickens; 864-878-4838

BLK F NANNY, \$100; baby faint goats, 4 billies, B-11/9, \$75ea; wht M llama, \$200; 2 jacobs lambs, more, \$100ea. Lloyd Gerhart; Kershaw; 803-425-8796

AGS REG NIGERIAN BUCKLING, disbudded, UTDS, buckling, \$150, B-9/2 & 11/1/14. Patty Jackson; Cherokee; 864-316-0741

% BOAR GOATS, \$100up. Terry Gibert; Greenwood; 864-993-4212

Hay & Grain

'14 TX PANICUM, 4x5, rnd, \$30ea. Ken Griffith; Orangeburg; 803-860-1744

YNG TENDER CB, sq, \$6, rnd, \$60; wheat straw, \$3.50. John Fogle; Orangeburg; 803-682-5974

'14 WHEAT STRAW, \$4/sq, barn. Billy Gallman; Newberry; 803-276-7171

'14 CB, HQ, sq, \$5.50; rnd, net wrap, brown top & mixed grass, \$35; rye straw, sq, \$3.50. Clayton Leaphart; Lexington; 803-892-2642

'14 CB, 4x5, exc HQ, net wrap, \$50. Ann Furtick; Orangeburg; 803-707-4826

FESCUE, 14 lrg rnd, 5x5, will load, \$50ea. Avery Ashley; Greenwood; 864-456-3204

'14 CB, sq, exc qual horse, \$6.50ea; horse/live-stock good hay, \$5.50ea; baled w/o rain, more, no del. Louise Pollans; Orangeburg; 803-533-1763

'14 HQ, rnd, 4x4, \$35; sq, \$5.50, fert/limed to Clemson specs, del avail w/30 mis of Lynchburg, Pleasant Grove Comm. Eddie Phillips; Sumter; 803-486-0081

PREM HQ ALFLAFA, Orchard Alfalfa, Orchard Timothy, hvy bales, Forage Analysis avail, \$11up, del avail. Jerry Raines; Spartanburg; 864-909-1538

'14 CORN, shelled, \$7/bag, \$50/barrel; wheat straw, sq, \$4ea; Fescue, rnd, \$42ea, barn. Melvin Barr; Pickens; 864-360-5176

'14 WHEAT STRAW, sq, \$4ea; 4x5 rnd, net wrap, \$20ea; some del avail for fee. Bob Lawson; Spartanburg; 864-809-5354

'14 CB, sq, no rain, \$6ea, HQ. Mike Johnson; Newberry; 864-923-0750

40 OATS, \$50ea; all 5x5 & 2014. Harroll Stockman; Newberry; 803-924-7878

MIXED GRASS, 4x5 rnd, net wrap, cattle or equine, del avail 20 bales/haul, \$30. George Roberts; Lee; 803-484-3296

14 WHEAT STRAW, sq, \$3ea. Dwight McCartha; Lexington; 803-429-6121

'14 CB, HQ, 4x5 rnd, net wrap, no rain, well fert, stored outside individually on pallets, \$50 ea. Eddie West, Aiken, 803-507-8205

'14 TIFTON 85 BERMUDA, HQ, limed & fert, \$6ea, sq, del. Charlie Jackson; Aiken; 678-910-0561

OAT HAY, race HQ tested by Clemson @ 96% protein, same as coastal, \$2ea for '13, \$4ea for '14. John Foster; Richland; 803-261-4900

'14 WHEAT STRAW, sq, \$4/bale, lrg quantity disc. Joshua Waters; Lexington; 803-429-6114

'14 CB, HQ, sq, tight & baled w/out rain, \$5.50 @ barn, del avail for fee. Wayne Howle; Darlington; 843-332-8063

'14 CB, rnd, HQ, \$45, all no rain. Carroll Harmon; Lexington; 803-359-3956

'14 CB, no rain, under shed, HQ, fert & lime, 750lb bales, \$45ea, del/fee. Eddie Chavis; Barnwell; 803-671-3108

'14 CB, cow, 4x5 rnd, net wrap, \$40; '13 4x5 rnd net wrap cow hay, \$30 & \$25. Don Gregory; Aiken; 803-652-2626

'14 CB, horse hay, tight sq, \$5; some, \$4, no mold or rain. Warren Coker; Florence; 843-319-1884

CB, 1st quality, Fescue & Orchard grass, sq, \$5-5.50ea; 4x5 Fescue, net wrap, \$35-45ea, both @ barn. Charles Burnette; Greenville; 864-877-5331

'14 FESCUE, mixed hay, HQ, 4x4, rnd, \$20, barn; \$15, field. David Campbell; Greenville; 864-895-1918

'14 CB, horse, 500 sq, \$6. James Livingston; Lexington; 803-568-2650

CB, HQ sq, 100 + lots \$7.50; sq wheat straw, 100 + lots, \$4, del/fee. Timmy Benton; Colleton; 843-908-3222

CB, sq, \$5, p-up @ farm, in 50bale lots. Warren Cousins; Newberry; 803-940-6555

CB, proper fert & lime, HQ, sq, \$7; lrg rnd, \$60. Theresa Kirchner; Aiken; 803-641-1476

'14 PEARL MILLET, rnd, barn stored, \$35ea. Scott Hicks; Chester; 704-907-1206

COB CORN, \$8/bag or in bulk, 10¢/lb. Bobby Steading; Spartanburg; 864-585-0587

HAY, rnd, \$45ea; sq, \$5ea; 55gal drum wheat, \$60 & oats, \$40. Charles Nichols; Saluda; 864-445-8350

COB CORN, \$7/50lb bag. Ben McCormick; Orangeburg; 803-533-1095

HAY, 4x5, rnd net wrap, shed, \$50; oats, \$40/drum, \$5/bu. Richard Knight; Kershaw; 803-427-6440

COB CORN, \$6/50lb shelled; \$8/60-65lb cob; \$35/55gal drum. Wyatt Eargle; Aiken; 803-604-7535

CORN, \$40, in your 55 gal drum. Chris Johnson; Aiken; 803-640-2734

OATS, \$45; shelled corn, \$40; sorghum, \$35; soybeans, \$75; loaded in your 55 gal drum. all grain is non GMO. Jeffrey Anderson; Richland; 803-446-8054

MILO, cleaned, 50lb bags, \$7; corn, \$7; wheat, \$8. Cecil Parks; Greenville; 864-963-1454

Hogs & Pigs

DUROC/YORKSHIRE PIGS, cut & wormed, \$80ea. William Bailey; Lexington; 803-600-3425

POT BELLY PIGLETS, 3F, b&w, 9w/o, 1st shots & teeth cut, \$125obo. Julie Balog; Anderson; 864-934-1945

TAMWORTH HAMPSHIRE BOAR, 2y/o, proven breeder, \$200; piglets, Tamworth Yorkshire Hampshire cross, B-10/1, \$65ea. Becky Brown; McCormick; 864-602-9718

11 WEANED PIGS, blk, \$50ea & up. Edward Rutledge; Berkeley; 843-257-2398

PIGLETS, blk Hampshire, B-10/2014, \$50. Andrea Williams; Lexington, 803-917-9565

Horses, Mules & Donkeys

Ads must include an current unaltered legible copy of a negative Coggins Test for Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA) within the past 12 months. This applies to Equine 6 months or older. Equine under 6 months must state the date of birth. Coggins paperwork must be resubmitted with ad for each issue.

MISSOURI FOX TROTTER MARE, 5y/o sorrel, 15.2h, for intermediate to advanced rider, \$4000. Gabriele Esslinger; Aiken; 803-640-7523

DONKEYS, jenny, B-7/20; \$200, ½ miniatur, ½ standard. Henry Tuten; Hampton; 803-943-8795

MINI JACK, 31in, 10y/o, gentle, easy to handle, UTD on shots, \$500. Vicky Finley; Spartanburg; 864-877-7850

MINI DONKEYS, reg, blk jack, B-7/2, \$500; choc jack, B-8/12, \$750; spotted jenny, B-6/4/00, \$800; more. Mark Yonce; Spartanburg; 864-473-0253

APHA PALO GELD, paint overo, 5y/o, exc blines, gentle dispo, \$5000. Mary Stroman; Lexington; 803-894-6178

PROVEN TWH'S AT STUD, Chips Coin, sire of outstanding show, more; What A Thrill, by Pride's Generator, fee \$300ea, +M/C. Johnny Hewitt; Lee; 803-486-0224

Miscellaneous

105KW DSL GEN, w/600A auto switch gear & 800A manual switch, 165gal fuel tank, 165 hrs, \$9500. Donnie Cook; Aiken; 803-649-9818

WOODEN PRODUCE CRATES, for okra, bean, peanut, \$1ea; 55gal metal, food grade open tops w/lids, \$20ea; more. Philip Poole; Union; 864-426-0060

PURPLE MARTIN GOURD RACKS, hay rake umbrella design, head only, \$45; 16 prong, \$55. Pete Jordan; Darlington; 843-332-3219

CABBAGE BAGS, 500, used, 25¢ ea. Harry Ott; Orangeburg; 803-707-5499

MITM 3004, elect hot water washer/steam cleaner, kerosene burner, VGC, 3000psi, \$2300. David Wilson; Greenville; 864-303-3286

OAK FIREWOOD, del, stacked, cut to size, full size p/up, Columbia, Irmo, Chapin areas, \$125. Ronald Wright; Richland; 803-606-1666

POULTRY INCUBATORS, GQF 1502 & 1266, \$450ea, brooders, waters etc. complete setup for hatching season, \$1000. Ernest Phillips; Richland; 803-394-3983

MARTIN, blue bird gourds, \$1-3. Tommy Hendrix; Chesterfield; 843-672-7359

LIVE MEALWORMS/BEE-TLES/LARVAE, 150 1in worms, \$5; 50 beetles or larvae, \$5; 100 mixed, \$5. Timothy Whitley; Pickens; 479-644-7767

HORSE DRAWN, scoop pan, \$100; trl, made from early 50s Chevy short bed, no fenders, needs tires, \$250. Jim Atkinson; Pickens; 864-506-9023

DRIVEWAY PIPE, H/D, prolink 2 sections, 15inx20ft, \$300. Gerald Bradley; Greenville; 864-877-5786.

BED SIDE PANELS, for hay/livestock, for F350 truck, \$250; 4 redwood fence panels, 6x6ft, 3GC, 1 fair, \$75. Susan Giddings; Aiken; 803-648-6606

SCROLL SAW, 15in, \$35. Billy Eddins; Chesterfield; 843-623-2427

CEDAR LUMBER, \$1.10/bf; 4inx4in cedar post, \$5ea; rnd cedar post, \$\$3&\$4ea; holly & red oak, \$2/bf. Andy Morris; Newberry; 803-276-2670

AC/DC WELDER, Miller 250, w/50ft leads, \$450. Ronnie Amick; Newberry; 803-364-3775

5 STEEL TRUSS, 40ft, \$125ea; 36in box fans, 220amp, \$150ea. Jack Whitaker; York; 803-417-8805

KILN DRIED SHAVINGS, \$900/load, w/35mis of Newberry. Michael Wise; Newberry; 803-271-4215

HD EXPANDED METAL CAGE, for lawn/garden trl, 42inH, w/15in legs, 75inL, 23inD, full length drop down door, \$150; more. Stan Hilton; Saluda; 803-206-8734

OAT/CORN CRUMPER 300B, 2½hr, new, 220 motor, runs good, \$1000obo. Alan Patterson; Kershaw; 803-572-1075

5 LIQUID FEED TANKS, for cattle, EC, \$100ea. J Smith; Newberry; 803-276-3881

STORAGE BLDGS, 12x20, 8ft walls, shelving, heat/air window unit, elec, 4 windows, sturdy, linoleum, \$4800. Lonnie Bair; Orangeburg; 803-312-1609

MH AXLES, brake & free whl, \$50ea; some are split axles, w/3in slip pipe, some w/whls, \$30-40ea; all 12 for \$45ea. Irvin Hester; Sumter; 803-968-2991

REDWORMS, \$27/1000; bed run, \$22/lb; LS swamp worms, \$32/1000; bed run, \$27/lb; call for ship chrgs, more. Terry Unger; Greenville; 864-299-1932

FIBERGLASS TRELLIS POLES, 3000 ea, 2in dia x 48in, stackable to 8ft, \$2ea by 100s; \$1.50ea x 1000s. John Sweatman; Greenville; 864-905-0274

TROY BILT ROTO TILLER, Horse Model, electric start, \$560. Charles Hurst; Kershaw; 803-438-1759

LRG METAL FLAT BELT PULLEY, 5ftT, \$250; 2 metal belt pullies, \$150ea; farm platform scales, on whls, \$200; more. C Woodfin; Spartanburg; 864-316-4717

'93 FORD TRUCK BED, dually, \$350obo. Ed Sweatman; Orangeburg; 803-536-0169

ASPHALT MILLINGS, \$20/ton. can del, Tom Armstrong; Richland; 803-309-6824

SADDLE, new 16in Western Double T-brand w/basket weave tooling, \$300obo. Paul Langston; Pickens; 864-483-0137

GOURDS, hang ready, \$1-3.50ea; uncut, 25¢-\$3.50ea; blksmith press drill, hand turn, GC, \$200; '65 FA Cub motor, \$600. Robert Yonce; Aiken; 803-685-7240

MARTIN GOURD RACK, holds 12 gourds, made w/hay rakes, \$50. Hepburn Harrell; Saluda; 803-609-4818

CEDAR SPLIT RAIL FENCE, 1mi L, 5 rails H, 20pcs/stack, 12ftL, \$300/stack. Jeremy Lindler; Richland; 803-518-2168

HORSE CART/PIONEER FORECART, w/manual brakes, steel rims, rubber tires, double and single shafts, more, \$1000. Suzie Smith; Lancaster; 803-322-8525

ASPHALT MILLING, \$150, sm load; \$330/lrg load. Morris Johnson; Newberry; 864-923-1670

BEEHIVE, w/telescoping cover, inner cover, hive body, screened bottom board, entrance reducer, \$59; more. Dale Starnes; Lancaster; 803-577-7871

WOOD SPLITTER, 20ton cyl, 5hp B/S motor, \$900 firm. A Logan; Calhoun; 803-874-3793

SEED TRAYS & FLATS, GC, 25¢ ea; germination mat, w/thermostat, LN, \$35; empty metal crystalux tubs, more, \$10ea. Henry Mitchell; York; 803-627-6142

TILLER, Craftsman, HD, 6.5hp, 17in rear tine, EC, \$550obo. Don Harris; Saluda; 803-466-7399

HOBART MEAT SLICER 2612, commercial, \$675. Gerald McMahon; Fairfield; 803-429-1319

DIAMOND TYPE BELTS, for 430 or 435 JD rnd baler, 3 531inL, 1 525inL, used, in GC, \$150ea. Terry Staggs; Greenville; 864-468-4381

HDWD LUMBER, 4/4, random W, 8-10 L, red oak, pecan, maple, yel-poplar, \$2/bdft; pine 1x8x8/10/12 & 2x, 45¢/bdft. Philip Epps; Newberry; 803-276-5747

FIREWOOD, wht oak slabs, from Sawmill, \$20/bundle. Ethan Overholt; Aiken; 803-645-8899

GREENHOUSE PLANT-ING TRAYS, 200 hole foam, \$3ea. Eddie Chavis; Barnwell; 803-671-3108

MH TIRE, 8x14.5 on MH rim, \$15. Simon Buzhardt; Saluda; 803-240-8643

ROLL UP DOOR, wht, barrel style, 12ftW, will work on any door opening up to 14ft tall, w/all hardware, EC, \$700. Keith Burbage; Laurens; 864-449-3107

CAST IRON POT, 80 stamped on bottom, no cracks, all legs, \$300. Tommy Vermullen; Lexington; 803-957-1313

INCUBATOR, GQF 1502 sportsman, holds 15dz chicken eggs, EC, \$600neg; 100+ paper egg cartons hold dz, more, \$50all. Brad Haynes; Anderson; 864-940-3183

BROCK FEED BIN, cone bottom, 9ft dia, 6 legs, 10 ton, repaired, painted, ready to move, \$1650. R Novak; Greenville; 864-905-2168

CEDAR, 250 rnd fence posts, 6-6½ft x 3-4in dia, \$5ea; cut 4x4, 10-12ft, \$2/bdft. Douglass Britt; McCormick; 864-391-3334

TRAPS, to catch & dispose of carpenter bees, \$13.50ea p-up or shipped in lots of 5 for \$85. Bill Timmerman; Aiken; 803-640-6265

HIGH PRESSURE AIR HOSE, 2in, red, ear lock fire hose connect, 4 75ft sections, \$100ea or \$300 all, for irrig. Lyman Fogle; Orangeburg; 803-247-2098

MARTIN GOURDS, 1-50, \$2.50; 50+, \$2. Tommy West; Laurens; 864-923-4069

6 FOOD GRADE, 55gal w/bungs in openings, \$20ea; 10 frame beehive, w/frames bottom board, more, \$65ea; more. Phillip Marlow; Spartanburg; 864-978-8982

CYCLONE FENCE PANELS, 6x10, \$40ea. Jimmy Forrest; Saluda; 803-685-7735

HORSE DRAWN PLOW HANDLES, unfinished, \$5ea or \$250/100. Clarence Gibbs; Spartanburg; 864-594-9525

SUGAR CANE SEED, Old Timey Blue Ribbon, \$1/stalk; 75¢/100 or more. George Phillips; Williamsburg; 843-992-1964

GENERATOR, 6000w, \$350; Murray 12.5hp, 40in cut, \$450; more. Larry Spotts; Newberry; 803-364-3060

1 MAN BRICK CARRIER, \$20; mule drawn bedding plow, \$50; kraut cutter, \$135; 2gal lard press, \$150. R Long; Newberry; 803-924-9039

ANVILS, 50-300lbs, \$200up. Jerry Jenkins; Chesterfield; 843-672-7387

4IN WATER PUMP, never been cranked, nvr used, has Honda gas engine, \$800. Dan Hallman; Lexington; 803-755-2799

2 ALUM TOOL BOXES, Husky & Challenger, VGC, \$150ea or \$250 both obo; 200 amp elec pole & box, \$150obo. Ed Lowther; Jasper; 843-726-8373

CROSS TIES, \$3 usables; \$8 premium, \$6 quality, 15ft ties \$36, can del. Wayman Coleman; Abbeville; 864-379-1138

BUGGY SHAVE, horse size & draft, \$100 set. Harry Isbell; Anderson; 864-617-2627

OAK FIREWOOD, 1/3 of a cord, 16in log, 4ftx8ft stack, del & stacked, Belton area only, \$100. Joe Sherard; Anderson; 864-314-3626

CHICKEN MANURE, 16ft spreader truck load, \$200. Don Bowman; Anderson; 864-647-7253

Plants & Flowers

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CONFEDERATE ROSES, wht dogwoods, forsythia, gardenias, camellias, azaleas, angel trumpets, more \$10. Cornelius Clark; Berkeley; 843-761-2343

CANNA BULBS, President Red, rose w/wine leaf, Bengal tiger, \$8/dz, no ship. Robert Yonce; Aiken; 803-685-7240

WINDMILL PALMS, 6-12ft. \$150-275ea; Pindo Palms, 8-15ft, \$250-425ea. Edward Rozen; Charleston; 843-889-5672

LEYLAND CYPRESS, 3gal, \$4; Persimmon, \$2; Jap Maple, \$5-20; Kwansan cherry, China fir, Magnolia, \$5-15; more. Hazel Bridges; Greenville; 864-879-3384

CAMELLIA, Amaryllis, Canna, Crinum bulbs, Crape Myrtles, Forsythia, Euonys golden shrub, Leyland Cypress, more, \$3up. Melinda Smith; Lexington; 803-260-3493

JAP MAPLES, 30 varieties, 3-25g, \$35up; Blue Atlas Weeping Serpentine Cedars, 10g, 5 foot tall, \$145. Mike Britton; Edgefield; 803-278-1468

RED BUCKEYES, 150 1gal Aesculus Pavia, native plant, red blooms, \$10ea; disc w/larger qty. Amanda Schell; Oconee; 864-903-3142

Poultry

GAMES, Asils, Shorty, more, \$20ea & up; full bantams, \$7ea & up; guineas, \$8ea &up. Philip Poole; Union; 864-427-1589

EASTER EGGER PR, NH Red pr, 8m/o, \$20/pr, roosters, 8m/o, \$8ea; Easter Egger, Delaware, more. Linda Bedrosian; Kershaw; 803-719-2726

RIR PULLEYS, starting to lay, \$15obo. Steve Ard; Aiken; 803-603-0642

SILKY CHICKS, all colors, \$10up depending on age, Champion stock. Linda Sinclair; Lexington; 803-360-5597

47 MIXED CHICKENS, 3w/o-3m/o, \$295. G Williams; Aiken; 803-663-3909

INDIGO BLUE PEACOCKS, yng prs; M/F pieds, \$40up. Harvey Ammons; Chester; 803-899-0268

BLUE COPPER MARANS, Blk Copper Marans '14 roosters only, \$7ea. Sam Griswold; Lexington; 803-796-0349

BOBWHITE QUAIL, flight & weather cond, \$3.50ea. Wayne Green; Clarendon; 843-373-2150

PIGEONS, yng pure wht racing homers, \$15.50ea. Reynolds Tisdale; Abbeville; 843-382-5490

18 LAYING HENS, RIR, Blk Rock, some crossed, \$6ea. John Tribble; Anderson; 864-369-1645

GAMECOCKS, 2y/o, ½ Shorty grey & ½ Leiper hatch, \$150ea, less if all taken, 10 cocks. Wade Brewington; Laurens; 864-833-4114

BRONZE TOM TURKEYS, \$40ea; hen, \$45, all 2y/o; grey Toulouse F geese, \$30ea; Wht Chinese geese pr, \$90. Alice Fitzwater; Lee; 803-428-3803

BLK SEX-LINK, & red sex-link, \$15ea, 2 or more, \$12ea; Muscovy ducks, \$10ea; bantam pullets, \$7ea. Thomas Waters; Colleton; 843-696-6627

ROLLER PIGEONS, doves, \$5ea. Angie Daniels; Marion; 843-433-4045

BOBWHITE QUAIL, grown, weather & flight conditioned, \$3.50. Robert Plemmons; Sumter; 803-459-6401

MUSCOVY DUCKS, \$8-10ea. Allen Wise; Barnwell; 803-284-2088

BANTAM TRIOS, \$45ea, Calico Cochin trio, Blk Mottled trio, Creole Bantam trio, Araucana Bantam trio, more. Sara Jones; Lexington; 803-317-4207

PEACOCKS, 1y/o, \$50ea, M & F. Bobby Norris; Darlington; 843-206-2955

TURKEYS, yng std bronze toms, \$45ea; yng Dominiker & Wht Rock roosters, \$10ea or trade for Americana rooster. Kay Stuckey; Lee; 803-983-7417

CHICKENS, 9 hens, 2 bantams, 1 rooster, 1-2y/o, \$5ea; or \$3ea if all taken. Carol Long; Newberry; 803-944-0758

PB RIR; PB COMET, laying, \$15ea; PB Bantam Creole trio; PB blue, red, OE, \$35/trio; all 2y/o. Brad Brewington; Laurens; 864-833-1001

7 YNG ROOSTERS, RIR/light Brahma, \$7ea. Arthur Logan; Calhoun; 803-874-3793

12 BANTAM CHICKENS, some pure, \$ 50all. Roger Elliott; Pickens; 864-868-9060

WHT DOVES, \$8ea, less if more taken. Cecil Hooks; Marion; 843-430-4906

GOLDEN COMETS, \$15ea or 25 or more, \$12ea. Donna Blake; Calhoun; 803-917-2694

JUBILEE ORPINGTONS, chicks, \$10up; grown, \$40up; Mille Flue OE, chicks, \$2.50up; \$15prs, trios/\$25; roosters, \$8up. Tim Boozer; Newberry; 803-924-3922

GAME CHICKENS, stags, cocks & hens, Brunner RH, Cowan RH, Leiper Hatch, Lohman Whitehackle, \$140ea. Rex Bumgarner; Lexington; 803-331-0269

HOMERS, rollers, fancy pigeons, \$15up; Silkies, \$15pr; red jungle fowl \$20pr; golden & Amherst pheasants, \$50up. Lloyd Gerhart; Kershaw; 803-425-8796

BANTAM COCHINS, reds, wht, buffs & blk smooths, \$8ea; frizzles, \$12, more; Tolbunt polish chicks, \$25ea, more. Pamela Purvis; Clarendon; 843-687-8113

GAME/WYNADOTTE MIX HENS, \$6; RIR rooster,\$2. Steve Martin; Newberry; 803-924-5581

BOBWHITE QUAIL, flight pen raised, weathered cond, \$3.50ea. Wanda Son; Newberry; 803-945-7971

ROLLER PIGEONS, \$8ea; giant runts, \$75/pr. William Claxton; Colleton; 843-909-4285

600+ CHICKS, 6w/o, \$3ea & up, quantity determines price, del poss. Heather Troglauer; Lexington; 803-466-0629

BOBWHITE QUAIL, flight cond, \$3.75. Joey Gunter; Lexington; 803-920-1605

MUSCOVY DUCKS, \$10ea or 10/\$75, bring your own crate. Jeff O'Neal; Lexington; 803-360-6448

NZ, MO Cottontails, meat, any size, all colors, \$8ea. Roger Graham; Florence; 843-667-2760

Rabbits

CA BREEDING DOES, \$15up. Andrew Cleer; Laurens; 864-684-7378

NZ, CA, 6 does, 2 bucks, 6m/o-1yr, \$130all. Phil Poole; Union; 864-427-1589

3 F RABBITS, 6m/o, \$10ea. Lucas Shumpert; Lexington; 803-526-3937

NZ, CA, Cross, meat or pets, \$6ea, 4/\$20. Blake Senn; Newberry; 803-597-8222

WOOLIES, Dutch, meat type rabbits, \$10 & up. William Claxton; Colleton; 843-909-4285

CA/NZ RABBITS, \$10; Dutch/Louisiana rabbit, \$20; lop rabbits, \$20. Cheri Rish; Lexington; 803-521-5346

Upcoming Events

January

1/17 BEGINNING BEEKEEPING CLASS, Lowcountry Beekeepers Assoc, 1066 Holly Ridge Ln, Cottageville, \$35/person. Diane Biering; Colleton; 843-835-2114

All equine must be accompanied by written proof of an approved negative test within the last 12 months for EIA when entering any public assembly of horses. These public assemblies include, but are not limited to shows, fairs, organized trail rides, rodeos, and other exhibitions as well as organized sales. Section 47-13-1315 and 1350 and 1370, SC Code of Laws. Note: Clemson University's Livestock-Poultry Health Division requires the following: All public equine auction/sales must be permitted by Clemson University Livestock-Poultry Health and be in compliance with SC Law Section 47-11-20 and SC Regulation 27-1016-C. Contact CULPH at 803-788-2260 Ext. 231 for information.

1/27 COYOTE BIOLOGY & CONTROL, Jay Butfiloski, Univ Ctr Auditorium, 6:30pm program, 5:30 meal, \$12 must pre-reg, www.southerngoatproducers.org. Patty Scharko; Greenville; 803-726-7803

Sales

2/21 BULL & FEMALE SALE, 11am Yon Family Farms, offering Ang & SimAng cattle, 220+ head, at Ridge Spring farm. Kevin Yon; Saluda; 803-685-5048

LIVESTOCK AUCTION, 1st & 3rd Fri of ea mon, sm animals, farm/animal items, 6pm; animals, 7pm, www.dixiestockyard.com. Phil Grant; Chester; 803-329-3684

CATHCART AUCTION, sm animal sale, 2nd /4th Sat ea mon, 10am, poultry, animal related & farm equip. Carol Cathcart; Union; 864-427-9202

SM ANIMAL AUCTION, ea Sat, 12pm, 1st & 3rd Sat of ea mo, farm supplies auction followed by livestock. Kenny Droze; Dorchester; 843-709-1733

1/17 & 2/7 WALTERBORO HORSE AUCTION, tack 5pm, horses follow, hauling avail, coggins needed w/in 12mon. William McCrainie; Colleton; 843-909-0563

CLAXTON'S AUCTION, ea Sat 11am, equine, cows, hogs, goats, more, poultry & sm animals; 1/18 Special Sale 1pm. William Claxton; Colleton; 843-909-4285

HINSON AUCTION, ea Sat, poultry & sm animal, animal & farm related, gates @ 7am, starts 11am, 1591 Bishopville Hwy. Glenn Hinson; Kershaw; 803-600-4202

Wanted - Farm Equipment

JD 7000 ROW MARKERS, pull type, wide row. Todd Benton; Dorchester; 843-832-3065

PARTS, '66 Simplicity 2010 landlord lawn tractor, JD STX 38 yellow deck mower, 8N Ford tractor. Jim Atkinson; Pickens; 864-506-9023

FRT END LDR, for JD 2840, can use JD 148, 158 or 265 ldr; sm skid steer, prefer Ford/NH, will consider other makes. Terry Staggs; Greenville; 864-468-4381

ROOT RAKE, for Caterpillar 955L; Champion pecan cracker, Thompson sheller, FA 560 3pth. Wade ten Bense; Lancaster; 803-283-4631

INJECTION PUMP, for Intl 484, 3 cyl dsl, early 80's model, Bosch pump. Terry Anthony; Anderson; 864-414-9678

BEVEL GEARS, for gear box, for Long rotary tiller model 2003, part # MC10090 & MC 1010,1 or entire gear box. Gary Coleman; Laurens; 864-938-5111

FARM EQUIPMENT, can p-up free or barter. David Swallow; Kershaw; 803-572-2049

SICKLE BAR MOWER, & single point hitch for IH FA Cub Low Boy tractor. Shannon Moses; Newberry; 803-364-4194

TRACTOR TIRE, 16.9-30 tubeless. Avery Ashley; Greenwood; 864-456-3204

OLD TRACTORS, will p-up & haul off, old, not running or abandoned JD, FA farm tractors for parts. David Moss; Spartanburg; 864-680-4004

3PT, for Super A FA tractor. T Elrod; Pickens; 864-608-2805

REAREND COVER, for '55 MF, 35 Series. William Knopf; Chester; 803-482-3891

JD 4400 COMBINE, dsl, w/13ft flex head in GC. David Green; Spartanburg; 864-804-8090

ROTOTILLER, for 3ph, prefer 48-60inwide, good working condition. James Baker; Aiken; 505-412-5652

JD 55 COMBINE, in GC w/grain head, 2r corn head or buy separately. David Gantt; Kershaw; 803-600-8740

CORN SEED DRUM, for IH 800/900 cyclo air planters. Jeffrey Anderson; Richland; 803-446-8054

JD 7400, or 6400 series tractor, cab w/air, looking for 4x4 or 2wd & lt, 3000hrs. Victor Smith; Berkeley; 843-688-5353

2R PEANUT DIGGER, old, need not to be working. Sidney Livingston; Orangeburg; 803-568-3165

Wanted - Hay

WHEAT STRAW, in Laurens Co, reasonably priced. Wade Brewington; Laurens; 864-833-4114

SM RND BALES, GQ, barn/under cover, no rain, can p/u, reasonable price, for cow, goats & sheep, Campobello area. J Beaudry; Spartanburg; 864-473-1320

FREE FESCUE, rye, wheat, oat straw or mixed hay, must be mold free hay, feed & wood shavings, to help rescued horses. Trecia Brown; York; 803-230-6778

Wanted - Livestock

FREE LIVESTOCK, goats, sheep, calves, cows, will p-up. Timmy Senn; Lexington; 803-796-7079

FREE LIVESTOCK, goats, cows, sheep, emus, pigs, chickens, donkeys, etc, will p-up. Joe Calwise; Laurens; 864-998-3405

FREE MINI DONKEY, sound & tame, prefer gelding, to be companion to QH gelding, refs avail, w/vet reference. Tracie Byrd; Richland; 803-381-4909

FREE, farm animals, fowl, swine, goats, mini-donkeys, cows, horses, etc, can p-up, can supply refs. David Sallow; Kershaw; 803-572-2049

NUBIAN BILLY, 100%, 2-3y/o or trade Boer buck w/speed bump b'line, w/in 50mi of Chester. Barry Hucks; Chester; 803-377-7045

LRG PONY OR SM HORSE, free, must be sound, be able to be ridden, calm, no buck, kick, rear or barn sour problems. Trecia Brown; York; 803-230-6778

FREE LIVESTOCK, goats, cattle, pigs, mules, no horses, chickens or jacks, can p-up. William Knopf; Chester; 803-482-3891

BEEF CATTLE, cows, calves, bulls, whole herds. Brian Gibert; Greenwood; 864-980-6408

FREE HEALTHY COWS, needed for livestock farm. William Timms; Fairfield; 803-718-3270

CHICKENS, ducks, cows, goats yng or old, pigs, poultry, etc, will p/up. Mozelle Jones; Richland; 803-403-4292

BEEF CATTLE, cow/calf prs, springers, calves & bulls. Josh Brown; Saluda; 864-910-5378

FLYING MALLARD DUCKS, Pickens or Oconee Co. Roger Elliott; Pickens; 864-868-9060

PR OR TRIO, of blk East Indies ducks, F wood duck. Lloyd Gerhart; Kershaw; 803-425-8796

BLK BANTAM COCHIN TRIO, in Chester, Fairfield, Lancaster or York Cos. Homer Harman; Chester; 803-899-3076

WILL P-UP, free or unwanted livestock, poultry, & sm animals. William Claxton; Colleton; 843-909-4285

Wanted - Miscellaneous

PINE SAWTIMBER, pine pulpwood & hdwd, we cut sm or lrg tracts, 8A or more. H Yonce; Edgefield; 803-275-2091

YOUR FERTILE POULTRY EGGS, will hatch & split chicks w/you. George Rohloff; Lexington; 248-762-6800

LENTIN ROSES, Lily of the Valley, Gardenia bushes, Eucalyptus trees. J Boatwright; Chesterfield; 843-623-5940

FARM OR LIVESTOCK RELATED ITEMS, feeders, water troughs, fence, post, lumber, etc, can p-up, more. David Swallow; Kershaw; 803-572-2049

PINE SAWTIMBER, pine pulpwood & hdwd, we cut sm or lrg tracts, 8A or more. H Yonce; Edgefield; 803-275-2091

FREE RND PEN PANELS, stall mats, gates, concrete mix, 2x4, 2x6 wood, posts, more, to help rescued horses, will p-up. Trecia Brown; York; 803-230-6778

PINE OR HDWD LOGS, pulp wood, fuel chips, chip n saw in Low Country, 5+A tracts, sm logger, pay top dollar. Brett Williams; Dorchester; 843-303-8626

PUPLWOOD SAW TIMBER, hdwd, pine, all types of thinning or clear cut, pay top prices, upstate counties. Tim Morgan; Greenville; 864-420-0251

SOMEONE, to sheer sheep, in spring, 3 adults. Lloyd Gerhart; Kershaw; 803-425-8796

BRADFORD WATER-MELON SEEDS, farm, brass bells, blacksmith anvils, wash pots. R Long; Newberry; 803-924-9039

ANVILS, 100-500lbs. Jerry Jenkins; Chesterfield; 843-672-7387

WINDMILL. Hal Tindal; Sumter; 803-473-0171

Budget Priorities

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To continue growing South Carolina’s top industry, agribusiness development is a priority. We are in the process of recruiting and adding new processing facilities throughout the state, further developing food hubs, and more aggressively seeking prospective agricultural businesses. We will focus more support on the expansion of existing South Carolina businesses.

This year the Department is also asking for several one-time requests, including maintenance of the Greenville and Pee Dee State Farmers Markets. In order for the markets to continue to function as prime locations to buy local, fresh produce, they need a little work here and there, such as painting, roof repair, and renovation of wholesale space. We also hope to complete the landscaping at the State Farmers Market in West Columbia.

One request approved last year that we are particularly excited about is the construction of the new Metrology Laboratory. While this may be one of the lesser-known aspects of the Department of Agriculture, the Metrology Lab affects all consumers through the calibration of public and private weights and measures. New equipment is needed to make the laboratory compliant with federal guidelines and to maintain its high level standing in the National Institute of Standards and Technology. The new lab will be located on the State Farmers Market campus in West Columbia.

Funds are also being requested for the Ag in the Classroom program to develop new educational materials and update curricula. The Farm to Institution Program requires a permanent program manager, program coordinator, and consultant evaluation team. This initiative will expand market opportunities for farm-grown food in schools, hospitals, and government agencies. A recent grant funded pilot project produced \$100,000 in sales of S.C. poultry products in just one school district.

A part of planning ahead is looking at the past to see the effectiveness of what we’re doing and whether to continue. Here are a few examples that we will continue based on past success.

Last year we showcased local ag products with our commodity boards at the state’s two biggest college football games. Fans at Carolina and Clemson games were treated to new ways to enjoy fresh South Carolina meats and vegetables.

One of our new favorite events is the AgriBiz Expo in Florence. Now in its third year, the highly successful forum brings together every conceivable farm product with the newest technology and innovation. This event could serve as a model for agricultural expos across the country.

Another successful venture is the Chef Ambassador program, which recognizes outstanding chefs who are committed to using fresh food from local farmers. Agritourism is a relatively new program that provides a vital partnership between agriculture and tourism. Did you know that when you visit a pick-your-own vegetable farm, you’re promoting both farmers and tourism?

Just like businesses, our agency experiences higher input costs, and must replace equipment. We plan to update our graphics equipment so we can produce in-house promotional materials, which saves the cost of outsourcing some print jobs.

I mentioned to our staff at our Christmas luncheon, our department does more for the people of S.C. with less money than any other state agency. But, when it comes to budgeting for the future, we have to be realistic about the costs to serve agriculture and the people of South Carolina.

As the 2015 General Assembly progresses, be sure to pay attention to the discussion about our state’s revenues and our needs, and please take the time to express your support of agriculture.

Celebrating Wildlife, Art, & the Sporting Life

The Southeastern Wildlife Expo (SEWE) is a three-day showcase of everything we love about wildlife and nature. It brings together people of all ages, men and women, sportsmen and conservationists, artists and artisans, fans, and families.

Through an incredible lineup of events – from fine art exhibits, conservation education, sporting demonstrations and parties, SEWE invites us all to explore our “wild” side and pay tribute to our naturally beautiful world.

The S.C. Department of Agriculture is a proud sponsor of Southeastern Wildlife Expo, which will be held Feb. 13-15 in Charleston. Come visit our big tent on Marion Square.



Agritourism Venues

Upstate

Breezy Quarters

1104 Haigler St. Ext.
Abbeville
864-378-2978
www.breezyquarters.com
Wholesale products for healthy living: handmade bath and body products, eggs, herbs, wool, all with sustainable growing practices.

Midlands

Artisan Foods, LLC

701 Edgefield Rd.
North Augusta
803-439-8110
www.artisanfoodsllc.com
Strawberry and Blackberry Jam. Peach, Fig and Amaretto-Peach Preserves. Jalapeno, Mayhaw and Scuppernong Jelly. Peanut Brittle.

LowCountry

Annette's Gourmet Italian Chili

31 Goldfinch Ln.
Hilton Head Island
386-846-8428
Annette's Gourmet Chili, Spicy Italian Sausage, Mild Italian Sausage and Vegetarian Chili

For more information, contact SCDA Agritourism Director Jackie Moore at jmoore@scda.sc.gov.

Horse Expo Offers Clinics, Demonstrations, & Education for Horse Lovers of All Levels

The S.C. Horsemen’s Council annual Horse Expo on Feb. 14 offers education and entertainment for horse lovers of all ages. It will be held Feb. 14 at the South Carolina Equine Park in Camden.

The line-up includes demonstrators by the South Carolina Mounted Shooters, who will show off their horsemanship and target skills in this fast-growing equine sport. The Cedar Swamp Lancers will take spectators back in time as they perform lancing demonstrations in period costumes, and several draft breeds will be shown in hand, under saddle, and working.

As a part of the council’s mission to provide equine-related education, clinics will be held all day in the Horse Health Pavilion. Featured topics and professionals are equine chiropractic and acupuncture with Dawn Graham, equine dentistry with Scott Wilson, and equine bio-mechanics with master farrier Mike Stine.

One of the most beneficial events for horse owners will be individual horse behavioral analyses throughout the day with Mike Kinsey, the founder of Start ‘em Right training center. Based in Belton, Kinsey is a nationally known clinician and author. Individuals can bring problem horses to the Expo, for a small fee, for a one-on-one session with a top trainer.

To cater to both western and English tastes, demonstrations of reining, dressage and obstacle training will be offered. Steven Marbry of Fountain Inn will show off his champion reining horse, and U.S. Equestrian Federation certified judge Valerie Swygert of

Lexington will do dressage demonstrations of varying levels. Start ‘em Right trainer Lori Childress will teach trail riding tips and demonstrate obstacle training of all kinds.

Vendor Village offers a wealth of information on horse care as well as countless horse-related supplies, equipment, trainers, tack, clothing and bling for people and horses. To offer hands-on experiences, free carriage rides will be provided by Palmetto Carriage Co. of Charleston, one of the largest carriage tour companies in the country.

Gates open at 8:30 a.m. with the opening ceremony at 9:30 a.m. The program of events runs until 4 p.m., with the SC Horsemen’s Council annual meeting scheduled for midday. Election of officers and new board members will be held, and the Horse Person of the Year will be named.

Admission is \$12 for adults and \$10 for children. Novices as well as experienced horsemen will find areas of interest at the Expo. Food will be available all day.

The SC Horsemen’s Council is a 501(c)3 volunteer organization dedicated to improving equine health and education throughout the state, as well as providing annual scholarships to deserving students.

The council’s vision is to introduce every man, woman and child to the joy horses provide. Their motto is: “Each and every person should feel the tenderness of a horse’s nose.”

For more details on the Expo, visit www.schorsecouncil.org.

Tips

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- Bring them indoors (especially if very young or old, ill or arthritic).
- Ensure outdoor enclosures have raised floors, doors turned away from the wind, and clean, dry bedding.
- Check and change drinking water frequently to make sure it hasn’t frozen.
- Depending on the pet’s body condition, some outdoor pets may need more food in winter months. Check with your veterinarian about your pet’s nutritional needs.
- Pets with very short or thin hair, or short legs that allow their bellies contact with the cold ground can benefit from a pet sweater or coat when outside.

- Use extreme caution with space heaters, electric lamps, or pads because of risk of fire or burns.
- Rap on your vehicle’s hood to startle a cat that may have climbed next to the engine for warmth.
- Prevent exposure to antifreeze or other chemicals which can be harmful or deadly.
- Check paws for injuries from ice or deicing chemicals. Consult your veterinarian if you see signs of illness.
- If power outages or frozen water pipes force your family to seek shelter, check websites for pet-friendly hotels (e.g., bringfido.com) and take along your pet emergency kit (carrier, food, water, medical records, medications), or arrange temporary housing at boarding kennels and veterinary offices.